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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for filing a Response to the Office Action dated November 17, 2006 for three (3) month(s) from February 17, 2007 to May 17, 2007 under 37 CFR § 1.136(a).

In lieu of filing a Reply, Applicants are filing a Continuation Application concurrently herewith.

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